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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This Amendment and Request for Reconsideration is submitted in response to the Office Action dated January 26, 2004.

Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments** to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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